

WAC 197-11-970 Determination of nonsignificance (DNS).

DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Description of proposal:

Amend Chapter 173-218 WAC Underground Injection Control (UIC) Program and Chapter 173-216 WAC State Waste Discharge (SWD) Permit Program to make it consistent with federal regulation, explain rule authorization requirements for UIC wells and to allow UIC wells to be included in a State Waste Discharge permit if necessary under, Chapter 173-216 (1)(a) WAC.

Proponent Washington State Department of Ecology, Water Quality Program

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Proposal is for the whole state.

Lead agency: Washington State Department of Ecology, Water Quality Program

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030 (2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

☐ There is no comment period for this DNS.

☐ This DNS is issued after using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355. There is no further comment period on the DNS.

x This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date below. **Comments on this will run concurrently with comments on the proposed rule. Comments should be received by September 15, 2005**

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